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**PATENT APPLICATION**  
(Attorney Docket No. 38219 RA)

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**IN THE UNITED STATES  
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**In re application of:** Steven E. Koenck

**Examiner:** Mr. Nathan Ha

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**For:** "Reduction of Electromagnetic Interference in Integrated Circuit Device Packages"

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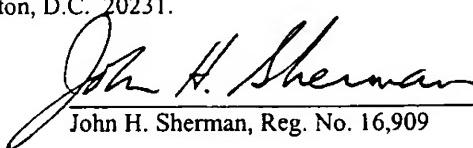
**AMENDMENT RE CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

Applicant is filing of even date a Response to Notice to File Missing Parts, a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time, and an AMENDMENT PRIOR TO FIRST OFFICIAL ACTION, and hereby requests insertion of a cross reference to related applications section pursuant to 37 CFR 1.78, before issuance of a first Official Action on the merits.

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